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For : ORALLY DISPERSIBLE TABLET WITH LOW
FRIABILITY AND METHOD FOR
PRODUCING SAME

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

IN THE CLAIMS:

3. Tablet in accordance with Claim 1 wherein the lubricating agent is selected from among the pharmaceutically acceptable lubricating agents which have a melting point of at least 35°C, and preferably higher than 50°C.

4. Tablet in accordance with Claim 1 wherein the lubricating agent is selected from the group including magnesium stearate, sodium stearyl fumarate, stearic acid and micronized polyoxyethylene glycol.

5. Tablet in accordance with Claim 1 wherein the lubricating agent is magnesium stearate.

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